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Small lot of Coats and Vests (only about 25 of them, mostly large sizes) from \$15, \$18, \$20 and \$25 suits, at

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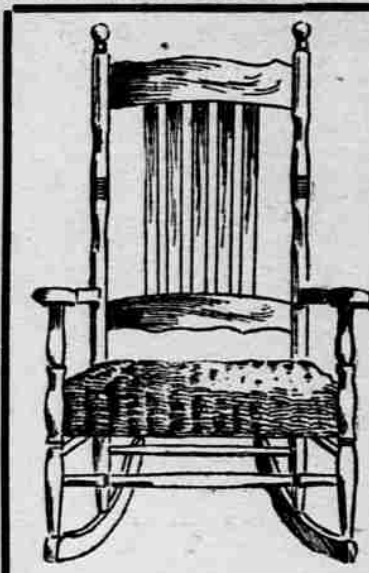
for Coat and Vest. There are double and single breasted sacks and cutaway frocks—some mixed colors, but most of them are Black Cheviot or Thibet. Not one is worth less than \$12 and many of them are cheap at \$20—if there's one to fit you it's the biggest kind of a bargain.

We could fill this page with talk about our Overcoats, and then not enumerate all of their good points—it simply outclasses every other assortment we ever saw. Oversacks in correct length, knee lengths or longer. Paddocks, Cape Coats, Inverness, Ulsters, Military Coats—any style you want, made from the proper fabrics, properly trimmed, and proper fitting. Prices, \$10 to \$45—with full value for your money in each and every grade. Your money back if you don't think so.

ROBINSON, CHERY & CO.,
12th and F Sts. | CLOTHES, FURNISHINGS, HATS, SHOES.

Thorough Reliability

is the reason of our ever-increasing business. What we claim for our goods we are prepared to stand by. We do business on straightforward principles, firmly believing that honest dealings are the only way to build up and maintain a business.



A Large Rocker, as out, Italian Seat, high back, a great bargain. Today 99c



Ladies' Fine Double Jacket.....	\$8.75	Men's Fine Kersey Overcoat.....	\$10.00
Ladies' Stylish Cloth Jacket.....	3.25	Men's Beaver Overcoat.....	7.50
Children's Jackets.....	2.25	Men's Fine Cheviot Suits.....	10.00
Misses' Stylish Jacket.....	2.75		

PAYMENTS MADE TO SUIT YOUR CONVENIENCE.
MAYER & PETTIT, OUTFITTERS,
415 Seventh Street N. W.

PENSION CHECKS CASHED. Only a Few Days More of the Great Sheriff's Sale of Clothing.

That wonderful discount of
40 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR
has brought such crowds that the whole of the stock will soon be disposed of. It was a superb stock—Hazelton's Clothing is celebrated—they were in business twenty years and held the reputation for making the finest clothing in the market.

Don't miss your chance but COME TODAY.

SUITS.		Overcoats, Ulsters.	
Men's Clay Worsted Suits.....	\$6.85	\$20 Men's Overcoats, Melton, Kersey.....	9.50
Young Men's Double and Single Breasted Suits.....	3.40	\$17 Imported German Overcoats.....	7.50
\$9.00 Men's Suits for.....	4.00	\$15 French Black Cheviot overcoats.....	6.50
\$12 Men's Cashmere Suits for.....	5.00	\$10 Oxford Mixed Overcoats.....	4.50
\$8 Young Men's Suits for.....	3.80	\$15 Irish Frieze Ulsters.....	7.40
Boys' Fine Suits of first-class Cashmere—for Boys from 4 to 16.....	1.40	Young Men's Ulsters, extra long with large collar, double or single breasted.....	3.48
		Boys' Overcoats or Ulsters, excellent goods, for Boys from 4 to 14.....	1.65

THOUSANDS OF OTHER WONDERFUL BARGAINS.
H. FREIDLANDER & BRO., 9th and E
NO CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER HOUSE IN THE CITY.

SUITS Finest Tweeds, Cassimeres, Cheviots. Choose your cloth, watch it being made, try on till fitted.
HORN, 512 F Street Northwest.

TAKOMA SPRING WATER,
The Most Delicious Table Water.
Per gallon in Department Store in bottles, 10c.

"THE" SHOW.
There have been plenty of Christmas shows recently. The "Show" of shows will occur here beginning Monday. All this beauty free, as we want your presence.
A. GUDE & CO., FLORENCE, 1211 F STREET.

COLD IN THE HEAD, Catarrh, and Rheumatic immediately relieved by
Capitol Catarrh Cure. 25 cents.
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THINKING AWAY MONEY

Pensioners Who Are Spendthrifts
Landed in Police Court.

COME EASY, GO EASY FUNDS

Fifty-five Prisoners Faced the Judge and Only a Few Were Vagrants. Whisky and Women the Other Parts of the Pension Day Aftermath—Testimony Caused Laughter.

Yesterday was pension day, and as a result of the large sums of money circulated last night, fifty-five prisoners lined up in Judge Kimball's dock this morning. Whisky was the cause of most of the trouble, only one or two vagrants being in the dock. The rest had charges of disorderly conduct, obstruction of justice, and other offenses for which ruin is responsible.

James Whalen, an old pensioner, was arraigned on a charge of obstructing the sidewalk with his person, and he didn't know whether he was guilty or not.

"Yes, honey, old like to speak wid yez," he said. "O! can only hear out of wan ear."

"Well, come around here," said the judge.

"O! guess I must be guilty, judge, or the officer wouldn't have arrested me, but I've never been before your honor before, and I hope you'll let me off."

"Where do you live?"

"Out by Terra Costa," replied the prisoner. "Judge Miller knows me. I was on my way home when the officer arrested me."

"O! I love that to the officer."

LOADED TO THE MUZZLE.
"He was very drunk, your honor, and had a pint of whisky in his pocket," said the officer.

"Five dollars fine," said the judge.

"Will your honor let me go and get my fine? I have a checkbook here and will write you a check."

The court allowed the prisoner to go to the bank with an officer and get his fine.

John Rathbone, an old white man, and Jennie and Alice Tillman, colored, were arraigned on a charge of disorderly conduct. John drew his pistol and proceeded to spend it with the women. Whisky flowed freely and the celebration of the generosity of Uncle Sam wound up in a fight in which all participated.

When the police swooped down on them Jennie had a big cut in her forehead, and the old man had his head battered up and his hands cut in several places.

"I want to say, 'tail, judge,'" declared Alice, "and I think it's a sin for anyone to stand up and try to do me like dat. I wasn't cussin' 'an' hadn't had a drink in my hand."

"What about this fight, old man?" asked the judge of Rathbone.

"There wasn't any fight, judge," replied the prisoner. "It was just a matter of play."

"How did you get those cuts on your hands and head?"

"I was a little under the influence of liquor, and fell down."

The principal witness against the three was an old Hebrew who lives in the alleys of Mission.

"Missus," asked the judge.

The old man said he did, and putting on his hat, the oath was administered. He then told of the fight.

FINED TWO OF THEM.
The court imposed a fine of \$5 each on Alice and John and took the other woman's personal bonds.

Ella Green and Emma Jackson were arrested by Policeman Duvall and charged with disorderly conduct in Ridge alley. W. D. Lee, an old blind negro, was the witness against them and he described very minutely the fight.

"Ella Green went into de house next do'," said the old man, "an' asks de lady for a chew of snuff. Dis Emma Jackson called her a nigger, an' Ella said she come out de alley an' say it. She runs out an' knocks Ella down. Den two other ladies in de alley come up an' pulled her off."

"Which is Ella?" asked the judge.

"De tall, slim one," replied the witness.

"How do you know these women were on the ground?" asked Lawyer Hicks. "You couldn't see them."

"I could tell, just de same."

"Well, what am I doing now?" asked Mr. Hicks, sitting down.

"Youse sittin' in a chair just at present," replied the old man, laughing.

The court finally fined Ella \$5 and took Emma's personal bonds.

NOT A PACIFIC OCEAN.
Unprecedented Number of Vessels Overdue in the Straits of Water.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 5.—The number of overdue vessels sailing in the North Pacific Ocean this year is unprecedented in the history of these waters. Anxiety is now felt in shipping circles for the Norwegian steamer Gersvold, due at Tacoma to load lumber for South Africa. She left Singapore for this port October 19, and is now forty-five days out on a voyage usually made in from fourteen to eighteen days. The steamer Strathnevis sailed from Tacoma for Yokohama fifty-one days ago, and has not been reported.

Friday

—8 to 12 o'clock a. m.—

Special

Sale of Rubbers 39c

At.....
—From 8 to 12 o'clock we will sell any and every pair of Ladies' Rubbers, including those popular STROM RUBBERS, at 39c per pair, regardless of what they cost. Such an opportunity as this is worth giving up pressing engagements to take advantage of.

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SHOE DEPARTMENT,
A. LISNER. Cor. G and 11th Sts.

W. D. CLARK & Co.,

811 MARKET SPACE.

Winter's Chilly Blasts

Should not find you unprepared, when you can secure, for such a small expenditure, the season's latest productions of elegance. You will find it a pleasure to visit our store. Whether you purchase or not, you will receive the same courteous attention.

Handkerchiefs

In largest assortment we have ever shown. We have gone to the manufacturers in Ireland direct, and by purchasing in large quantities, are prepared to place before you goods at the lowest prices. Irish Linen Handkerchiefs. Handkerchiefs at 12 1-2, 15, 18, 20 and 25 cents.

An exquisite assortment of embroidered Handkerchiefs, from 12 1-2 to \$2.

One lot of Handkerchiefs and Pillow Cases, cheaper than you can buy the mass.

Housefurnishings
Our stock of Blankets, Comforts, Spreads, Sheetings, etc., comprises too many bargains to mention. We only ask you to consult us as to prices.

One lot of Bedspreads, Sheets and Pillow Cases, cheaper than you can buy the mass.

Genuine Berkshire Spread, \$1.

Jackets, Coats and Capes.
The season's latest styles at lowest prices. All styles and grades of garments, in rough and plain cloth, from \$5 to \$35.

W. D. Clark & Co.
811 Market Space.

BURGLAR INSURANCE.

Curious Mutual Casualty Company Started in the State of Illinois.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 5.—At a meeting of bankers from fifteen States, which was held here yesterday, a permanent organization was effected of the Bankers' Mutual Casualty Company, the object of which is to insure banks against burglary and loss of money in transit.

The company will be operated under the mutual insurance laws of this State, and will have its headquarters in this city.

Charles Hannan, of Council Bluffs, was elected president and A. U. Quint of Scranton, Iowa, secretary. Edward Goodell of New Jersey will have charge of the current insurance, and it is rumored that a prominent Chicago man will have the burglary department.

Six hundred banks have signified their intention of becoming members.

Big Fire in Allegheny.

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Decorated Glass Water Sets, 5 pieces..... 76c

Patent Nickeline Cuspidors..... 15c

1 lb. Nickel Coffee Canisters..... 5c

Large size Best White Cedar Wash Tubs..... 44c

Clothes Wringers, best vulcanized rolls..... \$1.28

Covered Willow Chambers, Hampers, on foot..... 67c

Clothes Baskets..... 29c

7 Bars Best Oleine Soap..... 25c

Patent Chair Step Ladders..... 78c

Glass Breakfast Sets, 5 pieces..... 22c

Half doz. Decorated French China Cups and Saucers..... 32c

Decorated English China Dinner Sets, 10 pieces..... \$4.76

Decorated French China Dinner Sets, new shapes and designs..... \$10.57

25 styles \$12.50 and up..... \$6.95

Universal Housefurnishing Store,

512 9th St. N. W.

OPPENHEIMER'S,

514 Ninth N. W.

Friday's Special

59c.

Ladies' Striped Flannel Tea Gowns, lined to the waist, very nicely made. Worth \$2.50. Special for Friday, 59c.

OPPENHEIMER'S,

514 Ninth N. W.

Sewing machines of all kinds repaired and rented by week or month.

READ AND REMEMBER

Great Sale of Suits.

We have purchased the entire balance of a manufacturer's stock, consisting of hundreds of \$12, \$15, and \$20 suits, and are selling every one at..... \$4.80

GARNER & CO.,

OUTFITTERS,

N. E. Cor. 7th & H Sts.

Pension checks cashed free.

Drop in and see what "Removal Sale" prices really mean—

—In a word—everything to furnish a home—at tremendous reductions from the regular prices.

House & Herrmann,

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